



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (June 2004)

(Implements RCW 34.05.310)

Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency: Department of Labor and Industries

Subject of possible rule making: Elevators (Chapter 296-96 WAC), Factory Assembled Structures (Chapters 296-150C, 296-150F, 296-150M, 296-150P, 296-150R, 296-150T, and 296-150V WAC), and Plumber Certification (Chapter 296-400A WAC)

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: Chapter 18.106 RCW, Chapter 43.22 RCW, and Chapter 70.87 RCW

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The department will review the current fees for the Elevators, Factory Assembled Structures and Plumber Certification programs. A 2.82% fee increase may be proposed, which is the Office of Financial Management's maximum allowable fiscal growth rate factor for fiscal year 2006. The fee increase would help cover the cost of the ongoing services of for these programs.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies:
None.

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- ☐ Negotiated rule making
- ☐ Pilot rule making
- ☐ Agency study
- ☒ Other (describe)

The department will solicit input from the Elevator Advisory Committee, Factory Assembled Structures Advisory Board, and the Plumber's Advisory Board. Other interested parties and the public may also participate by providing written comments or giving oral testimony during the public hearing and comment process.

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

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